

**PATENT APPLICATION  
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q63622

Akihiro TOZAKI, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/816,352

Group Art Unit: 2164

Confirmation No.: 6361

Examiner: Samuel G. RIMELL

Filed: March 26, 2001

For: HYBRID RECORDING MEDIUM AND INFORMATION RECORDING APPARATUS  
**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450


Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of July 20, 2006 to December 20, 2006.

The statutory fee of \$330.00 is being paid via the USPTO Electronic Filing System (EFS) (\$450.00 - \$120.00 previously paid). The USPTO is also directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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